House Amendment 8154

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              Amend House File 2527 as follows:
                Page 14, by inserting after line 34 the
         3 following:
                            AREA EDUCATION AGENCY INFRASTRUCTURE
             <Sec.
         5 GRANT PROGRAM. There is appropriated from the rebuild
         6 Iowa infrastructure fund to the department of
        7 education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006, 8 and ending June 30, 2007, the following amount, or so
         9 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the
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        10 purpose designated:
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              For the establishment and implementation of an area
        12 education agency infrastructure grant program which
     1 13 provides up to $200,000 to area education agencies for 1 14 infrastructure purposes, notwithstanding section 8.57, 1 15 subsection 6, paragraph "c":
        16 .....$ 1,000,000
17 For purposes of the grant program, "infrastructure
        18 purposes" includes land acquisition and construction,
        19 major renovation and major repair of buildings, all
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        20 appurtenant structures, utilities, site development, 21 recreational trails, and routine, recurring
        22 maintenance or operational expenses or leasing of a
        23 building, appurtenant structure, or utility without a
        24 lease=purchase agreement.
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              Area education agencies that have reorganized or
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        26 are planning to reorganize shall receive priority in
        27 receiving grants.
              Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys appropriated
        29 in this section that remain unencumbered or
        30 unobligated at the close of the fiscal year shall not 31 revert but shall remain available for expenditure for
        32 purposes of the grant program until the close of the
        33 succeeding fiscal year.>
        34 \pm 2. By renumbering as necessary.
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